SPORTS

BY BILLY THOMPSON

Lawson Ford Loses 6-3 and 6-2

Lawson Ford lost 6-3 and 6-2 last week end in the Toga Invitational Softball Tournament at Toga Community Center. The failure to get hits when they needed them was the big let down for Lawson's as they got men on base with two outs, but failed then to score the run.

In the first game Limitorque scored two runs in the first inning and Lawson's came back to score one as Ray Tweedy doubled and scored on an error. Lawson's didn't score again until the seventh when Buddy Wilcox singled, Charles Jamerson reached on a fielder's choice and Roger Morris tripled to drive in two runs. In between, Lawson's left runners on in the second, fourth, fifth and one in the seventh as they couldn't get the big hit. Limitorque added two in the second and one in the third and fifth. Limitorque outhit Lawson's 11-10, but got their hits when they counted.

In their 6-2 lost to Smith Carpet, they also left runners on base by not getting the big hit. They scored in the fourth and fifth and left two runners on in each of those innings after getting the one run. They also left two on in the first, and two in the sixth.

Roger Morris and Doug Mitchell each had two hits in the second game and Mike Dunford and Buddy Wilcox led the attack in the first game with three and two hits, respectively.

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Practice Set For JV Gridders

Head football coach Jerry Robinson has anounced that Appomattox County High School junior varsity football practice will begin at 4: p.m. August 15 at Appomattox County Middle School (old high school).

Gallier Attends State Leadership Conference

Mike Gallier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Gallier, attended the 15th annual State Officer Leadership Conference of Future Farmers of America. The conference was held at FFA - FHA camp in Smithfield, Virginia the week of July 29 - August 2.

Mike is currently serving as State Vice-President, representing the Southside Area.

Their workshop ran jointly with the 1st annual Local Chapter Officer Leadership Conference, which included approximately 140 chapter officers from all across the state.

Both groups worked to broaden their knowledge of the FFA, parliamentary procedure, and public speaking. The State officers also worked on preparations for the 49th State FFA Convention and the duties and responsibilites of their respective offices.

The conference was highlighted by an address from Jay Phillips, National Vice-President, on Thursday afternoon.

The State officers' instructors for the week were Mr. W. C. Dudley of Appomattox and Mr. W. T. Johnson of Richmond - former Appomattox Agricultural Education teacher.

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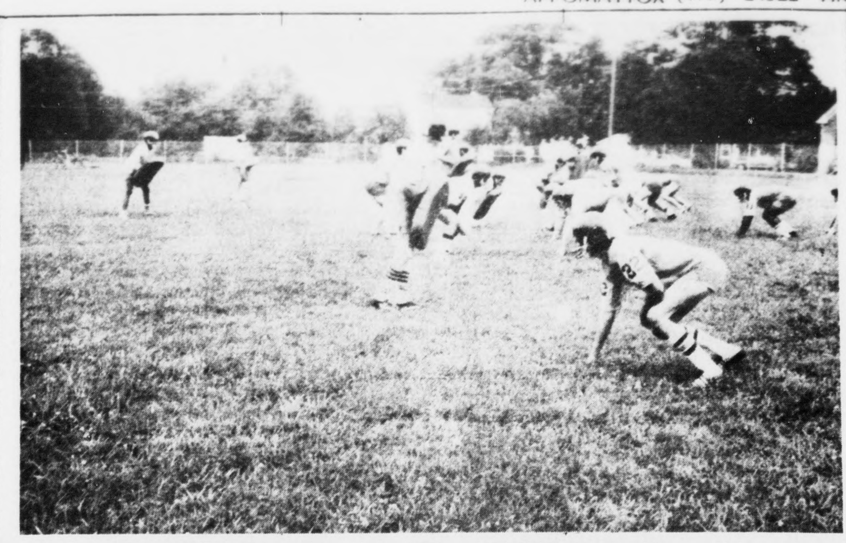

Getting Ready For Grid Grind

Appomattox County High School grid hopefuls go through signal drills as coach Jerry Robinson and his staff greeted 42 varsity candidates Saturday morning for first day of practice. There were 17 lettermen available to the Raiders who open the season September 6 at Jefferson Forest. First home game is September 13 against William Campbell.

Raiders Elect Tri-Captains

Ricky Wingfield, left, Mike Quinn and Warren Coleman have been elected tri-captains of the Appomattox County High School football team for the 1974 season. Wingfield is an end, Quinn plays guard and Coleman is an offensive tackle and plays linebacer on defense. All three captains are seniors.

Winners Display Silver

Winners of the ladies golf tournament at Falling River Country Club display silver awarded them for their victories. From left are, Mary Libby Tolley, runner-up, championship flight, Ellen Jamerson, winner, championship flight, Jackie Robinson, winner first flight and Sudie Row, runner-up, first flight.

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BILLY GUTHRIE, a former standout tackle for the Appomattox Raiders has been working out with coach Jerry Robinson's football team as he conditions himself for the 1974 football season at the University of North Carolina. Guthrie will be a sophomore at the Chapel Hill school this year and will probably see a lot of playing time with the Tarheels. The former All-Semiinole District performer played defensive tackle on the freshman squad last season, but was moved to offensive guard during spring drills.

Local Student Attends Nat'l Meeting

Steve Cawthorn, Appomattox, Va., attended a national meeting of agricultural and cooperative leaders at Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kans., Aug. 6 - 9. He was joined by 700 other Youth Scholars at this National Institute on Cooperative Education, jointly sponsored by the University; American Institute of Cooperation, Washington, D. C.; and cooperative organization in the area.

These young people from all across the nation were exploring career opportunities and learning more about the American business enterprise system. Mostly sponsored by local and regional coperatives in their home areas, they also participated with 200 Young Farmer Couples and about 1,000 adult agricultural and cooperative leaders in a number of general sessions. They heard nationally known speakers discuss current opportunities and challenges confronting agriculture and farmer-owned cooperatives.

The programs specifically for the Youth Scholars related to the general theme of the Institute - - Cooperatives in Transition. These included rap sessions with trustees of the American Institute of Cooperation who are representatives from leading cooperatives across the country and educators. Other sessions covered discussions on grain marketing and people involvement in organizations and a visual tour of cooperatives in the Midwest.

Youth Scholars also staged a variety show one night after being chosen after a series of talent audtions during the meeting. On the last day, announcement of the new 1974-75 Associate Trustees - - a young man and a girl who will also serve as Miss AIC for the upcoming year.

Steve Cawthorn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Webb, Rt. 2, Appomattox. The sponsoring cooperative for his trip to the Summer Institute was Farmville Production Credit Assn., Farmville, Va.

DECENDANTS OF THE LATE REV. and MRS. G. W. LEWIS gathered at the home of Mrs. W. S. McConnell (in Elon) for a farmily reunion.

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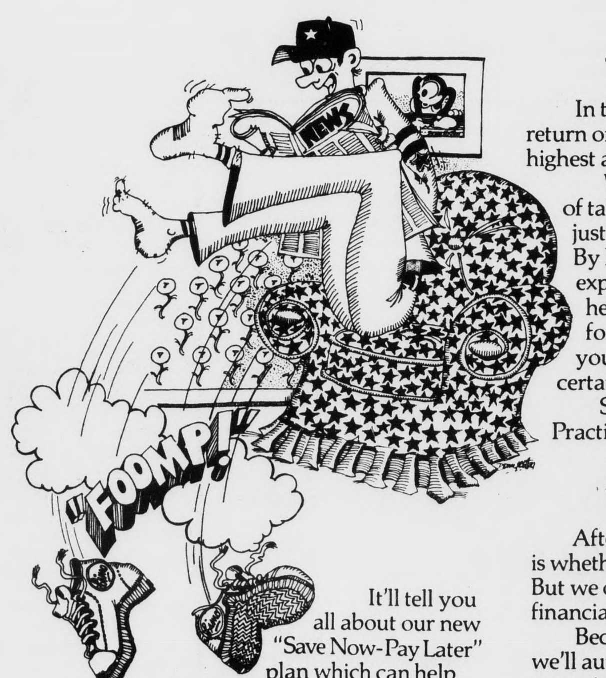

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Bees Find Mobile Hive

[...] seem to think they have found a [...] hive as they swarm on automobile [...] at Appomattox Dairy Queen Saturday morning. It is not known how owner disposed of insects, but he should have a sweeter car.

[Po]lish Tour

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[...] of another town said [...] concert, "You have [...] the greatest things [...] being: friendship, [...]herhood, work, faith [...] for our fellowman." [...] this he presented a [...] of carnations and [...] by our music to the [...] years.

[...] enjoyed the Polish [...] They were quite

[...] Amateur Organization [...] group of Socialistic [...] of the Polish Peoples [...] did all in their power [...] happy, comfortable [...] fed. They tried to [...] of Poland in 21 days. [...] very moved by the [...] surrounding the Ger[...]centration Camp. We [...] a memorial wreath [...] a prayer and sang, [...] Grace."

[...]outh in this choir [...] top spirits throughout [...] sojourn. Even [...] they missed many [...]onveniences never did [...] get the mark of the [...]

[...] behind Bibles, Tell It [...] Records, tapes of our [...] made by the Polish [...] the glow and joy of [...] young people singing [...] clear the message [...] and peace. We [...] came home with a [...] "mission accom[plished]"

[...] course of the tour [...]ssadors extended an [...] to our choir to come [...] summer or go to [...]ntry of theirs and [...]

[...] meant a great [...] However being very [...] we could take our [...] sing around a camp [...] with the piano in a [...] for we went to sing [...] and let me say. [...] Youth Singers [...] they never let up [...] very proud of them [...] His name for the [...] choir gave to His [...]

[...] Curtain was lifted [...] we appreciate it, we gained much by it, and we are proud of our freedom more than ever. This tour was an education in itself and its benefits and experiences will be felt here and in Poland in years to come.

Thank you to everyone who assisted us in any and every way.

We have many souveniors, gifts and pictures that we invite you all to see.

Power of prayer from many states and towns took us there, kept us safe there, and brought us home again. All we can say is "Thank you Lord."

Railroad Festival

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Any civic group wishing to participate that has not been contacted, is asked to call Mrs. Richard Paris. She is also serving as Chairman of the Parade Committee.

Exhibitors and musicians will be contacted by Mrs. John R. Booker, Chairman of the Fine Arts Committee. Mrs. Addison Elder is the Chairman of Educationa displays, Mrs. Monte Mays, Chairman of Conservation, will be the co-ordinator of space at the depot. Mrs. John Canada will be serving as Chairman of Fund Raising for the Cactus Joe Choo Choo.

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